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Sir:

Prior to the first Office Action, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Delete the paragraph on page 1 lines 5-6 and insert the following replacement paragraph:

-- This application is a continuation of International Application No. PCT/US99/15857 which was published in English under PCT Article 21(2), and which claims priority to U.S. Provisional Application Serial No. 60/092,546. --